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THEREOF, SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, AND WIRELESS
ELECTRONIC DEVICE
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UNDER 37 CFR 1.97 AND 1.98

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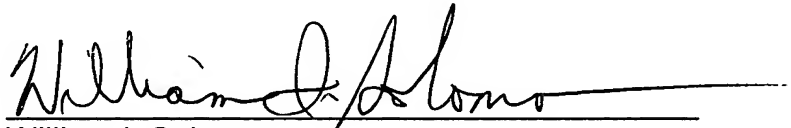
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Of the enclosed documents, please note that the enclosed article from the Journal of Materials Science: Materials in Electronics 11 (2000), pages 253-268, is discussed in the paragraph bridging pages 2 and 3 of Applicants' specification.

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